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For: Optical Device Molding Die Designing Method

**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

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The undersigned has been authorized by the Applicant(s),

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**FOR: Optical Device Molding Die Designing Method**  
to file the attached specification and required drawings. Please  
assign a serial number and accord a filing date to this prospective  
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Enclosed are:

11 pages of Specification,  
2 pages of Claims,  
1 page of an Abstract, and  
5 sheets of Drawings. Total pages in the disclosure are 19.  
 Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).  
 Application Data Sheet  
 Newly executed original Oath or Declaration with Power of Attorney  
 Signed Statement deleting inventor(s) named in prior application.  
 Applicant claims Small Entity status under 37 CFR §1.27.  
 Assignment of the Invention and \$40.00.  
 A certified copy of Priority Document.  
 A Preliminary Amendment.  
 Letter to the Official Draftsperson and amended drawing(s).  
 An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO Form 1449.  
 The basic filing fee of \$770.00.  
 The fees for the claims to be calculated as follows:

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